

## **Dormant *M. tb*: Challenges and opportunities**

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Bacterial persistence is a hallmark of tuberculosis. My laboratory is interested in understanding the mechanisms of virulence and persistence of *M. tb* and the role of DevR in particular. We have used various approaches to enhance our understanding and to develop novel tools and models to interfere with bacterial dormancy. Some of our recent findings will be presented.

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